

## ACTS AND RESOLVES

PASSED BY THE

## THIRTY-FIFTH LEGISLATURE

OF THE

### STATE OF MAINE,

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tained in the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth sections of CHAP. 257. the one hundred and forty-eighth chapter of the revised statutes, for disclosure on mesne process, and also to the provisions contained in the twenty-ninth and thirtieth sections of said chapter. Such debtor shall not be required to give any bonds pettor not for his release from arrest, and if the creditor, his agent or bond. attorney lives in the same town or city in which he is arrested. it shall not be necessary to give more than twenty-four hours Notice. personal notice of the time and place for attending to such disclosure.

[Approved April 9, 1856.]

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#### Chapter 257.

An act additional to an act defining the jurisdiction and powers of the municipal court of the city of Biddeford, approved April first, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

The judge of the municipal court of the city of Biddeford, Jurisdiction of shall have jurisdiction and power over all actions, suits, matters and things, pending in said court on the first day of April, one 45.4 April 1, 1856. thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, or commenced previous to that time and returnable to said court on a day subsequent thereto, in the same manner and to the same extent as if the aforesaid act, to which this is additional, had not passed; and in like manner shall have power and jurisdiction to issue any execution on any judgment recovered, or which shall be recovered, in any such action or suit, in the same manner and with the same effect as if said act, approved April first, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six, to which this is additional, had not passed. This act shall be in force after its approval by the governor.

[Approved April 9, 1856.]

#### Chapter 258.

An act in relation to returns of votes for county officers.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

The governor and council in comparing the returns Evidence SECT. 1. of votes for clerk of the courts, sheriffs, county commissioners, the examination

the judge over actions pending,